



Langley DPAC
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Attention Langley Graduates!!!

Richard Bulpitt Educational Award

Langley District Parent Advisory Council will award two \$500 scholarships to this year's successful applicants.

Langley DPAC established the Richard Bulpitt Educational Award in 2001 in honour of retired Langley Superintendent Richard Bulpitt. Mr. Bulpitt was a dedicated educator, devoted to the students of Langley, and a strong supporter of parent involvement in education.

This year's Essay Question:

"From your perspective, do you feel your family has influenced you in shaping your educational goals? Why or why not?"

Idea: You may refer to past or present experience, personal experience or observation. Parent involvement may involve participation with PAC's, DPAC's, classrooms, field trips, athletics, music, home etc. No research needed – just write from the heart.

Please ask your School Counseling Department for an application package.

Please submit your essay via email ONLY to info@langleydpac.ca **BEFORE the deadline, 12:00PM Friday April 28, 2017**



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The Richard Bulpitt Educational Award

The Richard Bulpitt Educational Award has been established to honour the dedication and devotion of Richard Bulpitt, Past Superintendent of the Langley School District. His life and work were dedicated to the students of Langley. Richard had been Principal of both Belmont elementary and Noel Booth elementary schools and was instrumental in the opening of the Langley Fine Arts School, managing the period of transition from what was then Langley Junior into a highly rated District-Wide program. Richard also served at the board office on several occasions. He was Director of schools from 1990 to 1996. Then from 1996 to his retirement in March of 2001, as Superintendent. After 6 years of retirement, and his continued efforts to help others, Richard passed away in 2007. A new school, Richard Bulpitt Elementary opened in September 2013. It is the wish of DPAC that the Graduates of Langley will continue to benefit in honour of this devoted man.

CRITERIA

The award will be granted annually to two students in grade 12 in a public school in Langley. The following must be submitted:

- 1) A completed Richard Bulpitt Educational Award application form showing specific plans for immediate post secondary academic, technical or vocational education or training.
- 2) Written confirmation from your school principal or counselor on school letterhead that you will be graduating at the conclusion of the current academic year.
- 3) An essay of 200 words or more concerning: **"From your perspective, do you feel your family has influenced you in shaping your educational goals? Why or why not?"**
- 4) Graduating students from Langley School District are eligible to apply.
- 5) The applicant must agree to have their essay published in a newspaper, on a website, PAC, BCCPAC or DPAC publications.

- 6) **Nowhere in the essay should the applicant record their name, mention the school they are from or name specific people (ie Teacher, Principal, etc.) Failure to adhere to this will result in the essay being removed from consideration.**

For the 2016/2017 school year, an award in the amount of \$500 will be given to two students entering or involved in **ANY FIELD OF STUDY.**

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THE RICHARD BULPITT EDUCATIONAL AWARD APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____

Grade: _____

School Name: _____

School Address: _____

School Phone Number: _____

Post Secondary Institution
You are planning to enter: _____

Planned Course of Study: _____

Planned date of entry
Into program: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

The applicant agrees that if their essay is chosen, DPAC may publish the essay, winner's name and Secondary School in a newspaper, on a website, PAC, BCCPAC, or DPAC Publication.